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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Paul Raymond Gregson et al.

Serial No.: 09/869,754

Filed: July 3, 2001

For: IMPROVEMENTS IN AND RELATING TO
PROCESSING MATERIALS

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS

Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements mailed August 17, 2001, please find enclosed herewith the following items for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified patent application:

X A Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney executed by the inventors Paul Raymond Gregson, Paul Gilchrist, and Terence Martin Cox.

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X An Assignment conveying the invention to British Nuclear Fuels PLC, including a Form PTO-1595 recordation cover sheet.

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☐ A Declaration Claiming Small Entity Status Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27.

☐ The present application claims entitlement to Small Entity Status under 37 CFR §§ 1.9 and 1.27

☒ A copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements.

☒ A Certificate of Express Mail under 37 C.F.R. § 1.10.

☐ To render the Response timely filed, enclosed are the following:

☐ Petition for a One-Month Extension of Time; and

☐ Check No. _____ in the amount of \$ _____ to cover the fee for the extension of time.

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IND. CLAIMS	-3=		X 40		X 80=	
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM			+135=		+270=	
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☐ The \$ _____ government filing fee.

☒ The \$40.00 recordation fee of the enclosed assignment.

☒ The \$130.00 surcharge fee pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e).

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-3178.

☒ Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16.

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X A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Please address all future correspondence in connection with this case to the attention of the undersigned.

Dated this 13th day of September 2001.

Respectfully submitted,



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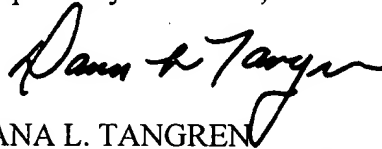
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I hereby certify that the following documents are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as Express mail, postage prepaid, in an envelope addressed to: Box: Missing Parts, Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231, on this 13th day of September 2001:

- Response to Notification of Missing Requirements (3 pgs.) (in duplicate)
- Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney (5 pgs.)
- Assignment with Form PTO-1595 (4 pgs.)
- Copy of Notification of Missing Requirements (1 page)
- Form PTO-2038 submitting Credit Card Payment in the amount of \$170.00
- Postcard

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